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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE
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SUBJECT: Change to the DODFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding -
Aviator Retention Bonus for Army Warrant Officers,
(DFAS Item I-02)

Attached is DFAS Interim Change 09-99 to Chapter 20 of the
DoDFMR, Volume 7A. It was effective October 1, 1998.

This change extends eligibility for the Aviator Retention
Bonus to Army warrant officer aviators by aligning the pay grade
eligibility requirements set forth in the chapter to those
allowed by statute. This change incorporates broader language in
order to accommodate individual military service differences. It
does not increase the pay grade eligibility for naval aviators
since the Secretary of the Navy has set more restrictive
criteria.

We have evaluated your comments on the draft proposal of
this change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A. The attached final version
of the change incorporates your comments where appropriate.

Assignment of an interim change number is your authority to
start a procedural modification to facilitate this change. For
the Denver Center, use the attached to initiate the formal
printed change to the DoDFMR and the interim change message.

Our point of contact, Mr. Gary McGee, may be contacted at
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for Edward Gryszewski
Gregory P. Bitz
Director for Finance

Attachment:
As stated

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Service Liaisons
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Aviator Retention Bonus for Army Warrant Officers

Replace subparagraph 200201B with the following:

Be in a pay grade below O-6 (the Secretary concerned may establish more restrictive requirements);